

PATENT
Customer No. 67413
Attorney Docket No. 023-0017

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Wilmer L. SIBBITT, Jr.) Group Art Unit: 3763
Application No.: 10/693,082) Examiner: Cris Rodriguez
Filed: October 27, 2003) Confirmation No. 8459
For: COLORFUL SHIELDED)
RECIPROCATING BUTTERFLY)
NEEDLE)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed July 24, 2006, the period for response being extended to January 24, 2007 by a request for extension of three months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please reconsider the pending claims in view of the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this Reply.

Remarks follow the Amendments section of this paper.